



LMS SKI & SNOWBOARD CLUB



Trip Information Sheet

DATES & TIMES: THE TRIPS WILL TAKE PLACE ON THE FOLLOWING SUNDAYS: Jan. 2, 9, 16 & 23, 2011. ALL BUSES WILL LEAVE AT 2:30 PM SHARP FROM THE FRONT PARKING LOT OF CENTERVILLE MIDDLE SCHOOL. NO NEED TO ARRIVE MORE THAN 15 MIN. EARLY BUT DON'T BE LATE! PARENTS MUST BE AT CENTERVILLE NO LATER THAN 10:00 PM TO PICK UP THEIR CHILDREN. **"PARENTS, IF YOU ARE LATE, YOUR CHILD WILL NOT BE PERMITTED ON THE NEXT TRIP."**

TRIP CANCELLATION: IF INCLEMENT WEATHER OR POOR SLOPE CONDITIONS CAUSE A TRIP TO BE POSTPONED, INFORMATION WILL BE ANNOUNCED ON THE HEMPFIELD SKI & SNOWBOARD WIKI BY 10 AM ON SUNDAY. THE TRIP WILL BE RESCHEDULED AT A LATER DATE WHICH MAY OCCUR OTHER THAN A SUNDAY. ANY RESCHEDULED TRIPS MORE THAN LIKELY WILL TAKE PLACE ON THE SUNDAYS FOLLOWING THE SCHEDULED TRIPS. FOR EXAMPLE, IF WEATHER CAUSES THE FIRST TRIP TO BE CANCELLED, THEN THE TRIP WILL MOST LIKELY BE RESCHEDULED FOR JANUARY 30. HOWEVER, THIS IS CONTINGENT ON BUS AVAILABILITY AND ON SKI ROUNDTOP. IF SCHOOL IS CLOSED THE FRIDAY BEFORE A TRIP, THE TRIP WILL TAKE PLACE UNLESS DRIVING CONDITIONS ON THAT TRIP DAY ARE PROHIBITIVE.

MISSED TRIPS: IT IS EXTREMELY IMPORTANT, ESPECIALLY IF YOU ARE A FIRST TIME SKIER OR BOARDER, THAT YOU ARE PRESENT ON THE FIRST TRIP. MUCH INFORMATION IS EXPLAINED ON THE FIRST TRIP THAT MAY NOT BE DISCUSSED ON THE SECOND. STUDENTS WHO MISS TRIPS ARE LIMITED AS TO WHEN THEY CAN GO. **MVC** OWNERS CAN GO ON ANY NON-HOLIDAY DAY SESSION, MON. THROUGH FRI. OR ANY EVENING SESSION (WEEKDAY OR WEEKEND) AFTER 4:00 PM AND PROVIDE THEIR OWN TRANSPORTATION TO SKI ROUNDTOP. HOWEVER, **NCC** OWNERS CAN GO ON **ANY** DAY AFTER 4:00 PM OR 3:00PM ON SUNDAYS AND PROVIDE THEIR OWN TRANSPORTATION TO SKI ROUNDTOP. REMINDER: **NCC & MVC** CARDS ARE NOT VALID UNTIL JANUARY 2, 2011.

BEHAVIOR GUIDELINES: ALL TRIPS ARE SCHOOL ACTIVITIES THEREFORE SCHOOL RULES WILL BE ENFORCED. IF ANY INCIDENTS OCCUR THE CHILD MAY LOSE ALL SKI TRIP PRIVILEGES DEPENDING ON THE OFFENSE. IF NECESSARY, THE SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION WILL BECOME INVOLVED.

PARENTS, PLEASE STRESS THE IMPORTANCE OF GOOD BEHAVIOR.

BUS PROCEDURES: FOOD AND DRINK ARE PERMITTED ON THE BUS PROVIDING THEY ARE SEALED AND NO PROBLEMS OCCUR. ALL TRASH MUST BE PLACED IN A TRASH BAG BEFORE LEAVING THE BUS. IF THIS PRIVILEGE CREATES ANY PROBLEMS, IT WILL BE REVOKED.

RENTERS: RENTERS WILL ALSO NEED A PICTURE I.D. (LMS/CMS SCHOOL ID) OR THEIR NIGHT CLUB CARD/MULTI-VISIT CARD TO PROVE WHO THEY ARE WHEN RENTING EQUIPMENT FROM ROUNDTOP.

LESSONS: ONLY THOSE STUDENTS THAT HAVE PREVIOUSLY REACHED **LEVEL 6** AT SKI ROUNDTOP OR ANY OTHER ACCREDITED SKI AREA ARE EXEMPT FROM LESSONS AS LONG AS THEIR PARENTS SUBMIT A WRITTEN AGREEMENT. THOSE TAKING LESSONS SHOULD BE SURE TO LINE UP 10 MIN. PRIOR TO LESSON TIME @ APPROXIMATELY. 4:30. THE LESSON TIME FOR THOSE THAT HAVE NEVER SKIED OR BOARDED WILL TAKE PLACE AS SOON AS WE GET OUR EQUIPMENT. IF YOU ARE LATE YOU WILL HAVE TO TAKE YOUR LESSONS WITH THE GENERAL PUBLIC AT 5:30PM or 7:00PM. WHEN YOU HAVE REACHED LEVEL 6 BE SURE TO LET MR. MARTIN OR MR. NIKOLAUS KNOW AS SOON AS YOU RETURN TO THE BUS SO THEY MAY RECORD THAT YOU HAVE PASSED THAT STEP.

EQUIPMENT: SKIS, POLES AND SNOWBOARDS MUST BE STORED IN THE COMPARTMENT UNDER THE BUS. **IF YOU USE A "SKI TOTE," PLEASE WRAP THE CABLE AROUND THE SKIS & TOTE AS TO ELIMINATE TANGLING OF EQUIPMENT.** EVERYONE WHO TAKES THEIR OWN OR LEASED EQUIPMENT MUST HAVE SOME METHOD OF LOCKING THEIR SKIS WHILE AT SKI ROUNDTOP. UNFORTUNATELY, THEFT DOES OCCUR.

CLOTHING: THE FOLLOWING ARE SUGGESTIONS: THERMAL UNDERWEAR, 1 PR. OF THERMAL SOCKS, TURTLE NECK, SWEATER, WATER RESISTANCE JACKET AND PANTS (IF POSSIBLE), WARM HAT AND GLOVES. LOOSE LONG SCARVES AND HATS ARE PROHIBITED. GOGGLES ARE SUGGESTED WHEN SNOW MAKING IS IN PROGRESS. **DO NOT STUFF THE BOTTOM OF YOUR PANTS INTO THE TOP OF YOUR SKI OR SNOWBOARD BOOTS.** THIS WILL EVENTUALLY RESULT IN CREATING A SORE SPOT AT THE ANKLE OR AROUND THE LEG. JEANS ARE NOT RECOMMENDED.

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SNACKS & LOCKERS: YOU MAY WISH TO PACK A LUNCH & BUY A SODA AT ROUNDTOP BECAUSE THE FOOD IS A BIT EXPENSIVE. *There is a Meal Deal available again this year. More details are on the attached sheet.* RENTAL LOCKERS ARE AVAILABLE FOR YOUR BELONGINGS. HOWEVER, EACH TIME YOU LOCK THEM, THEY COST \$1.00. YOU SHOULD ONLY HAVE TO LOCK THEM TWICE A NIGHT. THE LOCKERS ARE SMALL, BUT YOU MAY WANT TO SHARE THEM WITH A FRIEND (**WITH THE SAME SKIING ABILITY**) THAT YOU ARE SKIING WITH THAT EVENING. **BRING QUARTERS! SOMETIMES IT IS DIFFICULT GETTING QUARTERS WHERE THE LOCKERS ARE LOCATED.**

BUDDY SYSTEM: THIS IS ABSOLUTELY A MUST!! ALWAYS SKI WITH A FRIEND OF YOUR OWN ABILITY & TAKE BREAKS TOGETHER. MAKE A POINT TO LEARN NAMES OF OTHERS IN YOUR CLASS LEVEL FOR THIS PURPOSE. THIS IS ALSO IMPORTANT IN CASE OF AN INJURY OR IF YOU HAVE ANY PROBLEMS. REMEMBER, IF AN ACCIDENT OCCURS, STAY CALM, STAY WITH YOUR BUDDY & HAVE ANOTHER SKIER ALERT THE SAFETY PATROL. IF YOU ARE TAKEN TO THE SKI PATROL BUILDING, HAVE MR. MARTIN OR MR. NIKOLAUS PAGED & THEY WILL MEET YOU THERE (A HEADACHE IS NOT SERIOUS, REMEMBER YOU ARE 1 OF 120 STUDENTS BEING CHAPERONED). **IF THE ACCIDENT REQUIRES HOSPITALIZATION, MR. MARTIN WILL NOT BE ABLE TO ACCOMPANY THE INJURED TO THE HOSPITAL.** HOWEVER, THEY WILL CONTACT THE INJURED STUDENT'S PARENTS. YOU SHOULD KNOW WHERE TO CONTACT YOUR PARENTS THAT NIGHT. (A PHONE NUMBER IS IMPORTANT)

CHECK IN POLICY: ALL STUDENTS ARE REQUIRED TO CHECK IN WITH THE CHAPERONE OF THEIR BUS BETWEEN 6:30PM AND 6:45PM ON THE MAIN FLOOR OF THE CAFETERIA. DON'T SEND A FRIEND TO HAVE YOUR NAME CHECKED. **YOU MUST BE THERE.** IF YOU DO NOT SHOW DURING THESE TIMES YOU WILL NOT BE PERMITTED ON THE NEXT SCHEDULED SKI TRIP. THIS IS IMPORTANT FOR SECURITY REASONS.

OFF THE SLOPES: RENTAL EQUIPMENT MUST BE RETURNED AT 8:35 PM IN ORDER TO BE IN THE BUS ON TIME FOR THE RETURN TRIP. THOSE WITH THEIR OWN EQUIPMENT SHOULD LEAVE THE SLOPES BY 8:40 PM IN ORDER TO GET THE EQUIPMENT LOADED ONTO THE BUS. THE BUS WILL LEAVE FOR HOME AT 9:00 PM SHARP & ARRIVE IN CENTERVILLE AT 10:00 PM SHARP. **ANYONE LATE WILL LOSE THEIR BUS PRIVILEGES FOR THE NEXT TRIP. PARENTS, PLEASE BE ON TIME WHEN YOU PICK UP YOUR CHILDREN).**

PARENTS, PLEASE REVIEW THE FOLLOWING SKI ROUNDTOP'S RESPONSIBILITY CODE WITH YOUR CHILD!

1. SKI UNDER CONTROL AND IN SUCH A MANNER THAT YOU CAN STOP TO AVOID OTHER SKIERS OR OBJECTS.
2. SKIERS APPROACHING EACH OTHER ON OPPOSITE TRAVERSES SHALL PASS TO THE RIGHT. WHEN SKIING DOWNHILL OR OVERTAKING ANOTHER SKIER, YOU MUST AVOID THE SKIER BELOW YOU.
3. YOU SHOULD NOT STOP WHERE YOU OBSTRUCT A TRAIL OR ARE NOT VISIBLE FROM ABOVE AND ONLY STOP ON THE SIDE OF THE TRAIL.
4. WHEN ENTERING A TRAIL OR STARTING DOWNHILL, YIELD TO OTHER SKIERS.
5. A STANDING SKIER SHALL CHECK FOR APPROACHING DOWNHILL SKIERS BEFORE STARTING DOWN HILL.
6. YOU SHALL KEEP OFF CLOSED TRAILS AND POSTED AREAS AND OBSERVE ALL POSTED SIGNS.
7. WHEN WALKING OR CLIMBING IN A SKI AREA, SKIS SHALL BE WORN AND THE CLIMBER OR WALKER SHALL KEEP TO THE SIDE OF THE TRAIL OR SLOPE.
8. ALL SKIERS USING RELEASE BINDINGS SHALL WEAR SAFETY STRAPS OR SKI BRAKES TO PREVENT RUNAWAY SKIS; SKIERS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR POSSIBLE DAMAGE OR INJURY AS A RESULT OF RUNAWAY SKIS.
9. IF YOU HAVE A COLLISION RESULTING IN AN INJURY WITH ANOTHER SKIER, IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO STAY AT THE SITE OF THE COLLISION UNTIL THE SKI PATROL ARRIVES.
10. DO NOT JUMP OR PERFORM ANY "AERIAL" MANEUVERS.
11. DO NOT SKI SLOPES TOO DIFFICULT FOR YOUR ABILITY. DO NOT LET YOUR FRIENDS WHO CAN SKI BETTER THAN YOU TALK YOU INTO GOING ON A SLOPE THAT YOU CANNOT SKI. THIS IS ONLY INVITING AN ACCIDENT AND INJURY.
12. DO NOT JUMP FROM THE LIFT. IN THE EVENT OF AN EMERGENCY, THE SKI PATROL WILL EVACUATE YOU.

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